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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Jung et al.

Serial No: 10/748,903

Filed: December 30, 2003

Docket: 8836-221 (IE13077-US)

For: **CLEANING SOLUTION USED IN PROCESS OF FABRICATING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE**

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**PETITION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 REQUESTING ORIGINAL FILING DATE**

In response to the Notice of Incomplete Nonprovisional Application dated April 30, 2004, a copy of which is attached hereto, this is a petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 requesting that a filing date be accorded to the above-identified nonprovisional application as of the date, December 30, 2003, in which the application was originally filed. Applicants respectfully submit that the above-identified application be accorded the filing date of December 30, 2003, because

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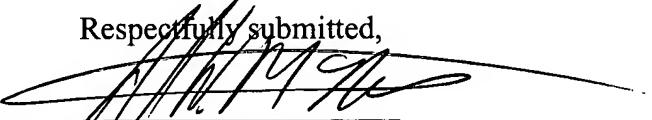
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drawings are not necessary for the understanding of the subject matter sought to be patented, and therefore, are not necessary for according a filing date. Indeed, the claims are directed to a cleaning solution comprising a surfactant whose structures are depicted throughout the specification.

Please charge the petition fee of \$ 130.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h) by credit card payment form PTO-2038 enclosed herewith. TWO (2) COPIES OF THIS SHEET ARE ENCLOSED. In addition, please charge any deficiencies in these fees or credit any overpayment of such fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 50-0679.

Further, Applicants request a refund of the petition fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h) because the above-identified application is entitled to the filing date of December 30, 2003, which is the date in which the application was originally deposited in the U.S. Mail under the Certificate of Express Mail #EV 413369798 US.

Early and favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,  
  
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## NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

## FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

A filing date has NOT been accorded to the above-identified application papers for the reason(s) indicated below.

All of the items noted below and a newly executed oath or declaration covering the items must be submitted within TWO MONTHS of the date of this Notice, unless otherwise indicated, or proceedings on the application will be terminated (37 CFR 1.53(e)). Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

The filing date will be the date of receipt of all items required below, unless otherwise indicated. Any assertions that the item(s) required below were submitted, or are not necessary for a filing date, must be by way of petition directed to the attention of the Office of Petitions accompanied by the \$130.00 petition fee (37 CFR 1.17(h)). If the petition states that the application is entitled to a filing date, a request for a refund of the petition fee may be included in the petition. Petitions should be mailed to: Mail Stop Petitions, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

- The application was deposited without drawings. 35 U.S.C. 113 (first sentence) requires a drawing "where necessary for the understanding of the subject matter sought to be patented." *Applicant should reconsider whether the drawings are necessary under 35 U.S.C. 113 (first sentence).*

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